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ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 IO-13 EB-07 ISO-00 FEA-01 AGR-05 CEA-01

CIAE-00 COME-00 DODE-00 FRB-03 H-02 INR-07 INT-05

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FM AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8183
INFO AMEMBASSY OSLO
AMEMBASSY REYKJAVIK
USMISSION EC BRUSSELS
USMISSION GENEVA
USDEL MTN GENEVA

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EAGR, ETRD, EEC, SW
SUBJECT: EC COMMISSION PROPOSAL TO TAX VEGETABLE, FISH,
MARINE OIL

REF: STOCKHOLM 3857

1. MFA/TRADE OFFICIAL (NILS LEUF) INFORMED EMBASSY OFFICER
IN FOLLOW-UP CONVERSATION THAT HE HAD TELEPHONED SWEDISH
MISSION TO EC IN BRUSSELS TO LEARN THAT THE MISSION HAD
BEEN IN PROCESS OF PREPARING A REPORT ON THE PROPOSED TAX.
IT WAS BELIEF OF THE SWEDISH MISSION THAT THE PROPOSAL HAD
BEEN UNDER CONSIDERATION BY EC FOR SOME TIME AND THAT NO
FINAL DECISION WOULD BE TAKEN THIS WEEK, BUT, RATHER, "DIS-
CUSSIONS" WOULD BE RESUMED IN THE AUTUMN.

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2. LEUF MAY HAVE GIVEN SOME CLUES AS TO EVENTUAL GOS

REACTION WHEN HE NOTED TO EMBASSY OFFICER THAT THE PROPOSAL
DID NOT APPEAR DISCRIMINATORY IN THAT IT WOULD APPLY TO EC
DOMESTIC PRODUCTS AS WELL AS IMPORTED PRODUCTS.
HE ALSO EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT SWEDEN HAS TAKEN
SOMEWHAT SIMILAR MEASURES ON OCCASION IN THE PAST, AND,
LASTLY, THOUGHT GOS REACTION WOULD DEPEND TO A DEGREE
ON SIZE OF THE PROPOSED TAX.
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